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FY 75 KIQ STRATEGY REPORT

KIQ 23: *What are Soviet objectives and positions in arms limitations negotiations?*

I. COMMUNITY COLLECTION AND PRODUCTION STRATEGY

- A. In regard to SALT, collection and production assets will be directed toward the negotiating history of SALT, Soviet weapons programs related to SALT, Soviet plans for deployment and use of such weapons, and the views and positions of Soviet leaders concerning SALT.
- B. In regard to MBFR collection and production assets will be directed toward Soviet force deployment objectives in the NATO Guidelines Area both with respect to their perceived threat from NATO and from their perceptions of internal political and social instabilities of Poland, Czechoslovakia, and East Germany.
- C. For SALT, chances of timely collection of information on Soviet objectives and positions will be enhanced by:

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E. Communications among technical collectors, human collectors, and analysts of Soviet military and political matters will be improved.

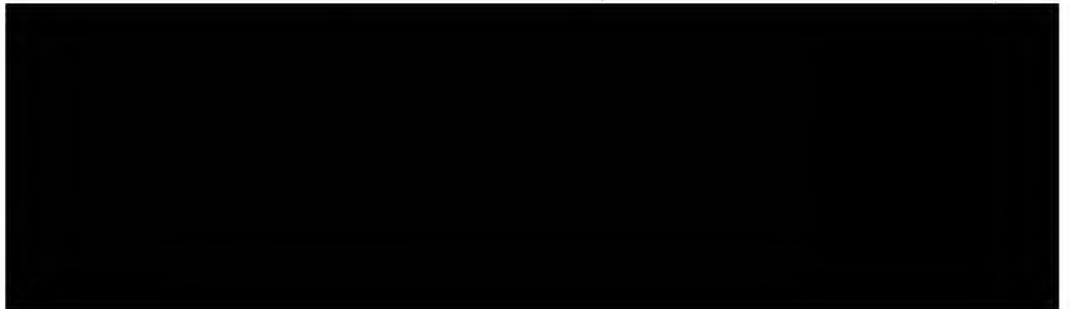
F. We will regularly review collection and production priorities and reexamine our views of Soviet objectives and positions in SALT.

G. For MBFR, chances of timely collection of information on Soviet objectives and positions will be enhanced by:

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II. AGENCIES WORKING ON THIS KIQ

A. Intelligence production components of CIA, DIA, and State will designate individuals with political, military, and

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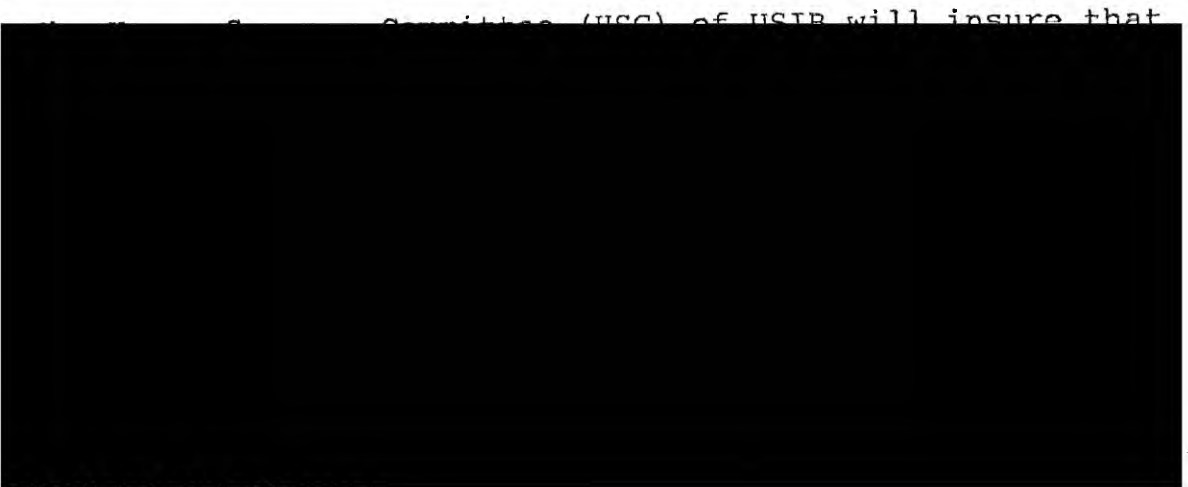
technical intelligence responsibilities as points of contact to be kept apprised by all elements in their respective offices of information on Soviet objectives and positions in SALT, and MBFR, and will insure current intelligence reporting concerning both SALT and MBFR.

- B. CIA/DDS&T will regularly review technical collection plans and the progress accomplished in acquiring information required to assess Soviet weapon system developments which could impact Soviet objectives and positions. Studies of, and work on, follow-on or modified collection systems will be accomplished and the Intelligence Community apprised through established channels of significant conclusions and progress.

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G. State/INR will insure that appropriate political officers assigned to embassies in key countries are made aware of SALT and MBFR collection requirements.

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- 25X1X1 K. CIA [redacted] will insure rapid collection and dissemination of relevant Soviet statements and commentary from the broadcast and print media on both SALT and MBFR, along with timely analysis of Soviet commentary on strategic issues.
- L. Additional Production Regarding SALT. Research studies in the following additional areas will be undertaken for completion in FY 1975:
1. What is the history of Soviet positions in SALT and what can it tell us about Soviet objectives in SALT?
(State/INR, CIA, DIA)
 2. What knowledge of Soviet objectives and positions in SALT can be derived from Soviet weapon development and deployment programs and defense plans?
(CIA, DIA, State/INR)
 3. An all-source compilation of statements by Soviet leaders bearing on SALT will be organized and analyzed so as to identify Soviet objectives and positions.

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